

ARREST



HBID ARREST NUMBER: 14-0288

DEFENDANT(S) NAME

Strauss, Samantha 01/23/92
CDL # F1287601

6801 Hollywood Blvd. #169
Hollywood, Ca. 90028 (323) 465-0122

ARREST CODE DATE TIME

41.18 (d) LAMC
Sitting / 04/02/14 1345
Sleeping / Lying Hours
on sidewalk
OFFICER: Ramirez, H. #139
OFFICER: Anderson #127
OFFICER: Trujillo #136

SOURCE OF ACTIVITY:

On Wednesday, April 2, 2014, my partners (Officer Anderson #127, Trujillo #136) and I (Officer Ramirez #139) were assigned to the Bicycle Team as B-2. We were working as contracted, uniformed security officers for the Hollywood Business Improvement District (H.B.I.D.) / Andrews International 6801 Hollywood Boulevard Hollywood, CA. 90028 (323) 465-0122.

INVESTIGATION:

At approximately 1345 hours, we decided to conduct a business check at 1623 Ivar Avenue (Frances Howard Goldwin Hollywood Public Library). As we were pedaling, south bound on Ivar Avenue from Hollywood Boulevard, I saw 3 subjects seated on the sidewalk with their legs extended. All three subjects were later identified as Strauss, Samantha D.O.B. 01/23/92, Norton, Michael Shawn D.O.B. 04/09/90 and Bostick, Sheron D.O.B. 05/10/83) They were seated just south of the main wrought iron gate entrance to the library.

As we neared them, I saw couple of pedestrians walk around the three subjects whom had their legs fully extended (blocking most of the public sidewalk). As we pulled up, all them looked in our direction. Two of them remained seated and the third jumped up extended his hands and made the spontaneous unsolicited statement of "we're busted take me to jail". All three subjects admitted that they were not supposed to sit on the sidewalk as BID officers had contacted them in the past.

Based on my observation along with the fact that they had been previously

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been made aware of the violation by their own admission, they were subsequently placed under arrest.

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I advised Strauss that she was being placed under "Private Person's Arrest", per 837 Penal Code - (Private Person's Arrest - Authority To Arrest / see attached for) for 41.18 (d) Los Angeles Municipal Code - (Sitting/lying/sleeping on sidewalk). Strauss was handcuffed without incident; the handcuffs were adjusted properly and double locked for her safety and ours.

L.A.P.D. Officers Spafford # 37844 and Winter #38876 (4-A-67) were contacted and advised they would respond to assist with the release from custody citations.

ADDITIONAL:

Strauss has no prior contacts / arrest by the B.I.D.

CITE and RELEASE:

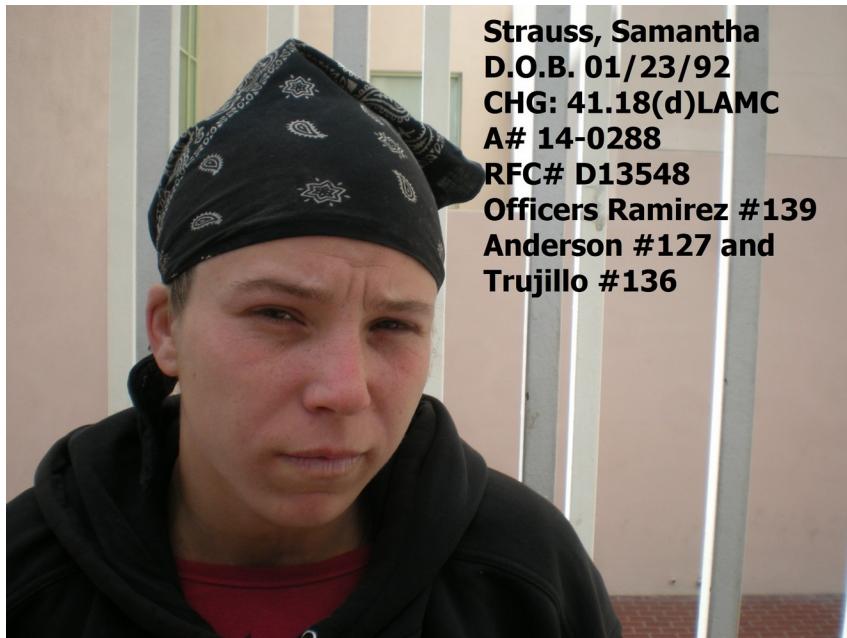
L.A.P.D. Officers Spafford #37844 and Officer Winter #38876 arrived at our location. Strauss' personal identification was confirmed and a Release From Custody Citation (RFC# D15591) was issued for the listed violation. Strauss was ordered to appear at the Metropolitan Court House, 1945 South Hill Street, Los Angeles, 90007, on 05/12/2014, at 0830 Hours with the approval of the Watch Commander Lieutenant Randolph.

EVIDENCE:

None

PICTURE(S):

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CHG: 41.18(d)LAMC
A# 14-0288
RFC# D13548
Officers Ramirez #139
Anderson #127 and
Trujillo #136**

INJURY AND MEDICAL TREATMENT:

None reported or observed at the time of the arrest / contact.

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